

### **REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

#### **The Status of the Claims.**

Claims 1 to 15, 22, 23, 25 and 26 are pending with entry of this amendment. claims 16 to 19, 24 and 27 to 66 being cancelled. Claims 1 and 7 are currently amended. These amendments introduce no new matter and support is replete throughout the specification. These amendments are made without prejudice and are not to be construed as abandonment of the previously claimed subject matter or agreement with any objection or rejection of record.

#### **Compliant Amendment.**

The Communication of June 16, 2008, has pointed out that the status of claim 23 was not apparent. The claim set provided herein corrects this deficiency.

### **CONCLUSION**

Please consider the present claims with reference to the Office Action Response filed on May 8, 2008, in the above cited case.

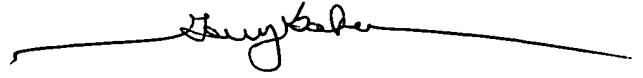
In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date is respectfully requested.

If the claims are deemed not to be in condition for allowance after consideration of this Response, a telephone interview with the Examiner is hereby requested. Please telephone the undersigned at (510) 769-3510 to schedule an interview.

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Attachments:

- 1) A transmittal sheet; and,
- 2) A receipt indication postcard.